SPORTS

BY ALLEN AUSTIN

Raiders Slip Forest

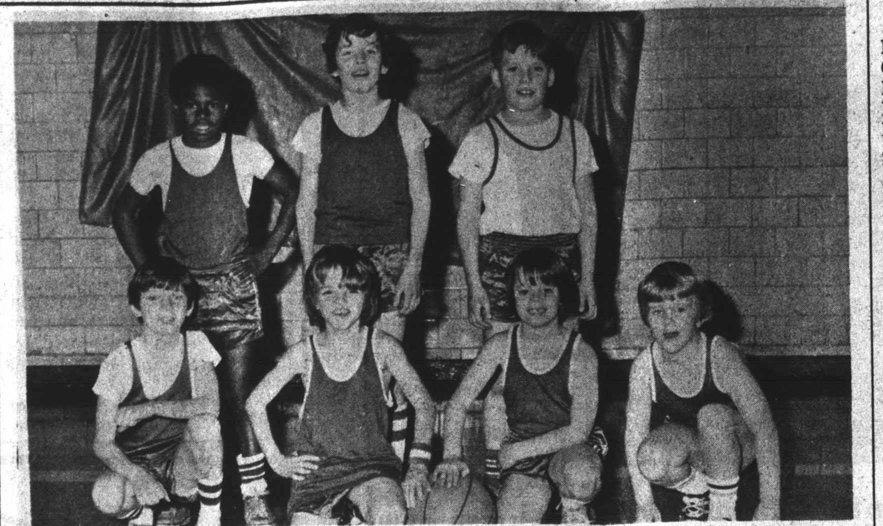
Being physically fit for a game is half of what it takes to win. The other half is being mentally prepared, and when the Raiders came from the locker room onto the court to meet Jefferson-Forest they were both physically and mentally ready.

The Raiders had four men in double figures with Robinson being top man with 16 points. Kelso, close behind shot 15, with Eggleston zipping 14. Bill Shorter was also a man with hot hands, who burned 12.

David Read was high scorer for Jefferson Forest as he shot 20 points. Waldo Freeman, for Forest, shot 12 and Arthur Read, 10. Appomattox shot 50% from the court and held Forest to 40%.

Robinson, with 30 seconds left to go, scored to bag the win 57-55 over Forest.

The Raiders have found the mental factor in winning and with the talent on the Squad, should have a better second half season than the first.



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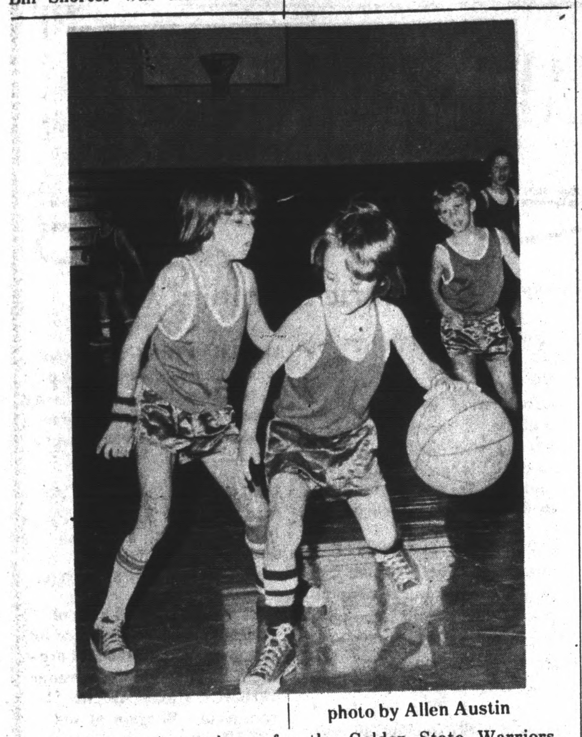
PICTURED ABOVE ARE The Golden State Warriors, one of the Little League basketball teams of 12 in the Youth Program. The Warriors have a 1-1 record with a win over the Bucks. They are, (front row, l. to r.(Roger Steinkamp, Freddy Lawson, Jeff Chauncey and Mike Miller. On the back,(standing, from L. to R.) are Lewis Hamlett, Bobby Carter and Jay Wingfield. The coach of the team is Mr. Almond.



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Freddy Lawson, player for the Golden State Warriors, dribbles to the corner as he is guarded by Tim Tillery, a starter for the Bucks. It is good to see the youth interested in competitive sports. Not only do they learn the skills of basketball but they also learn the importance of sportsmanship in today's athetics.

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Raiderettes 9th Win

Maryjane Smith, with 24 points, and Deborah McIvor, with 8 points, lead the Raiderettes to a 49-23 victory over Jeferosn-Forest Tuesday, January 13. Forest didn't have any one player to shot in double figures, but Shelia Branch was the highest scorer with 8 points.

Jefferson-Forest played a strong first quarter and matched the Raiderettes 8-8. The second quarter was the turning point of the game with the Raiderettes taking the lead 22-12. From then on Jefferson-Forest's attempts were darkened by a strong Raiderette defense.

Leading the Raiderette defense was Carolyn Smith who stole 14 rebounds.

By the fourth quarter every player on the Raiderette squad had played.

The Raiderettes shot 33% from the foul line compared to a 27% for Jefferson Forest.

The Raiderettes, from the field shot 32% with Jefferson Forest shooting 25%.

After this victory the Raiderettes still show a perfect mark with nine wins.

Little League Basketball Standings

8 - 9 Year Olds

	W	L
Knicks	2	0
Bucks	1	1
Warriors	1	1
Rockets	0	2

Results - Bucks 19 - Rockets 7
Knicks 8 - Warriors 6

10 - 11 Year Olds

Globetrotters	2	0
Braves	1	1
Knicks	1	1
Lakers	0	2

Results
Globetrotters 19 - Braves 17
Knicks 21 - Lakers 14

12 - 13 Year Olds

Lakers	2	0
Warriors	1	1
Celtics	1	1
Bullets	0	2

Results:
Warriors 29 - Bullets 15
Lakers 42 - Celtics 36

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Adult Women's Basketball

The Raider-Rats took on the Bullets in the first game Monday night. It was an exciting game with the Raider-Rats pulling away in the final quarter. The final score was 44-32.

Scoring:

Riader-Rats - Deborah Conner - 18; Becky Shorter - 8; Sherry Tillery - 2; Delana Barksdale - 6; Amy Nash -10.

Bullets: Becky Burke - 6; Toddy Murray -2; Doris Martin -2; Joyce Tolley -2; Mary Tolley -20.

In the second game that evening the Roadrunners were winners over the Knicks by a score of 38-22.

Scoring:

Roadrunners- Tessy Perrow -6; Trish Conner -24; Brenda Goin -8.

Knicks: Pat Ferguson -16; Donna Smith -6.

Monday night ended the season for the regular games. The tournament will be held next Monday night with the Raider-Rats, as the first place team, taking on the Roadrunners, the second place team, in the championship game. The consolation game will see the Bullets, the third place team, going against the Knicks.

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Rookies	18	33
Martins	6	45

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Wallace Haley - 337
High Games
James Paulett - 132
J. B. Wood - 132

MENS DOUBLE LEAGUE

Harris-Doss	33	9
Ferguson-Haley	25	17
Mayberry - Ayers	18	21
Cyrus-Martin	18	24
Ayers-Crowe	16	26
Hall-Wood	13	26

High Sets
Kenneth Doss-349
J. B. Wood - 339
High Games
Kenneth Doss - 142
Jerry Ayers - 125

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Mighty Mites	31	10
Flintstones	28	11
Krazy Kats	18	27
Top Cats	15	23
Alley Cats	11	24
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Untouchables	10	31

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Vernell Childers - 110
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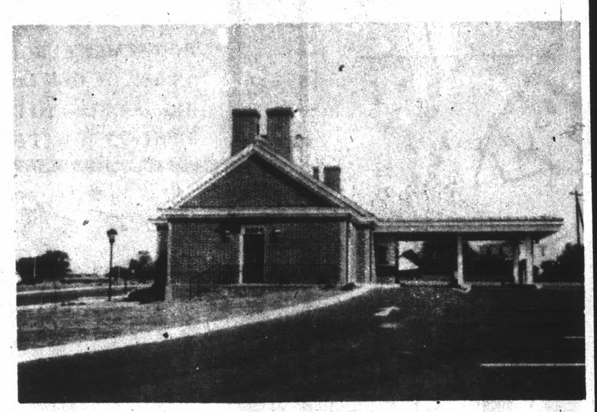

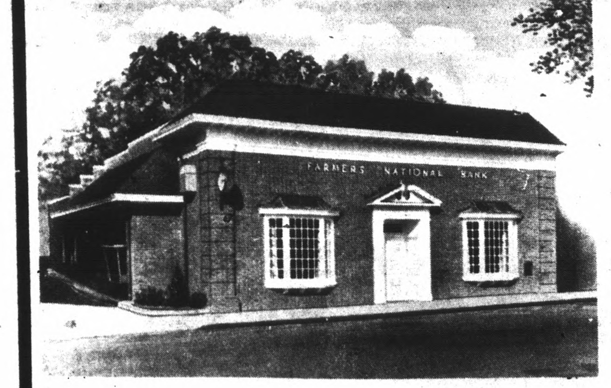

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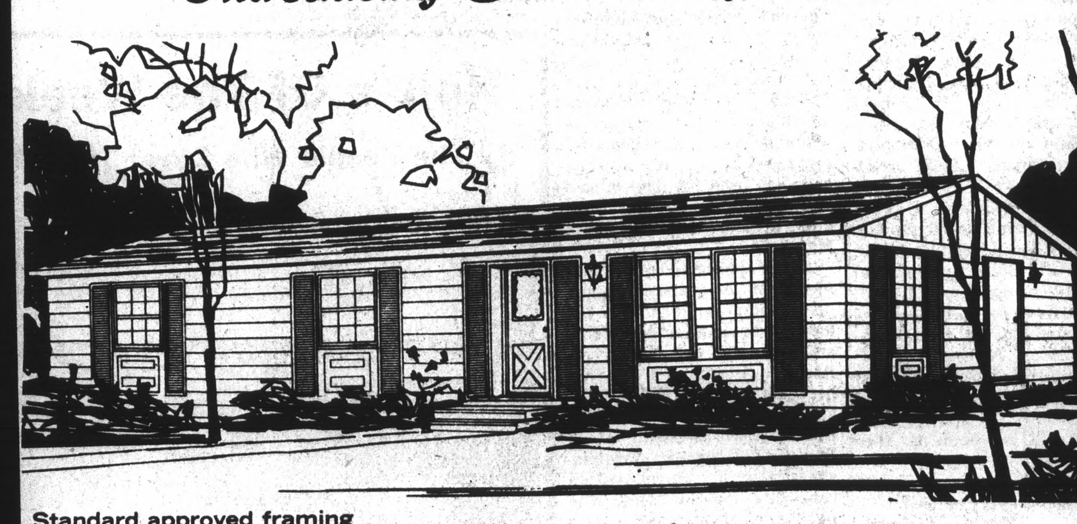

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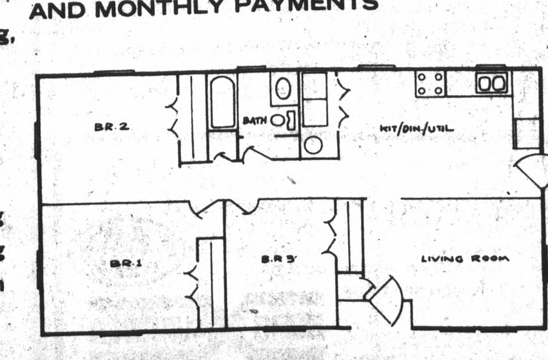

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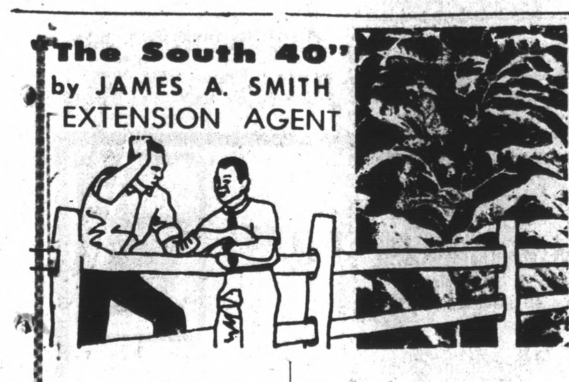

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The 86 senior bulls on test at Red House had their final weights on January 13. These bulls averaged 3⅓ pounds a day. This is the highest gaining group of bulls ever tested in Virginia. Last year the senior bulls were the first group ever to gain 3 pounds a day. Their average was 3.04. The 1976 group did a tenth of a pound better. Surely these are the kinds of bulls that we need to be putting into our herds.

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Performance testing of beef cattle has been available since the mid 50's. In Appomattox County we have 125 beef herds. There are three herds on test. This year Bob McClenny will begin the program. There are many others that need to begin weighing their calves in order that a positive breeding and selection program can be started.

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Looks as if we'll have two spring feeder sales. Dates will be established at a later date.

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The definition of a farm has been changed again. Since 1850 they've rewritten the official definition 8 times - - 4 times in the last 30 years alone - - in an effort to keep in step with the fast changing temp of modern agriculture.

Starting with the 1974 Census of Agriculture a farm is defined as any establishment from which $1000 or more agricultural products is sold or would normally be sold during a year. This differs from the old classificaiton where a farm was any place under 10 acres with annual sales of $250 or more agricultural goods, or any place of 10 or more acres selling $50 or more.

There is further definition of a farm, dividing them into four classifications: a primary farm is any farm where the operator spends at least half of his worktime on the farm, or any farm operated by a corporation or multi-establishment firm which receives at least one-half of its gross business income from farming.

A part-time farm is one where the operator spends less than half of his worktime on the farm.

A business-associated farm is a farm operated by a corporation or multi-establishment company that receives less than one-half of its gross business income from farming.

An abnormal farm refers to those farms operated by institutions such as hospitals, schools, Indian reservations, or as experimental or research farms.

One of the reasons for changing the definition of a farm is because in the 1969 census, 22 percent of the farms sold less than $1,000 worth of farm production. Altogether they accounted for less than 0.5 percent of all farm product sales.

PRECIPITATION:

Last Week	.61
This Month	3.45
This Year	3.45

Correction

In the January 15, 1976 edition of the **TIMES-VIRGINIAN**, we reported that Mrs. Crawford Davidson had been Appomattox County Chairman of the March of Dimes for the past 22 years.

Mrs. Davidson has been associated with the March of Dimes for 22 years spending most of these years of volunteer service as Chairman of the Mother's March. She has for the past three years served as County Chairman.

We regret the error.

Annual Church Meeting At Promise Land

The annual church meeting of the Promiseland Baptist Church will be held this Saturday at 12 P.M. All officers and members are asked to be present. The program of work for the year will be planned. Officers for the new year will be elected. A general review of the past year will be given by the financial secretary and the treasurer.

The general public is cordially invited to attend the regular morning service at the Promise Land Baptist Church this Sunday morning at 11 a.m. At the close of the morning worship the holy communion will be served.

A large crowd attended the regular preaching service at the Galilee Baptist Church last Sunday morning. The pastor delivered a very inspiring sermon. Beautiful music was rendered by the church choirs. All who came out enjoyed the day of fellowship.

The officers and members are asked to attend the regular evening service at the Mount Shiloh Baptist Church this Sunday evening at 7 P.M. The Junior choir will render music.

A very impressive service was held at the Zion Baptist Church last Sunday morning. The pastor Rev. L. E. Hankins delivered a special sermon from the subject: "What Love can do". The Junior choir of the church, with Miss Florence Mathews at the piano rendered beautiful music. The senior ushers served at the door. Several visitors from local churches were present. The offering for the day was very good.

Mrs. Wilsie Smith who is receiving special treatment in the Lynchburg General Marshall Lodge hospital is improving nicely. News has been received here that Mrs. Beatrice Rucker died in the Roanoke hospital. Funeral arrangements are incomplete at this writing. Mrs. Lizzie Mack is on the sick list. Mrs. Jessie Haskin Davis, a former member of the Mount Pleasant Baptist Church died in the Lynchburg hospital last Sunday. The local community of Pamplin extends sympathy to the family. Mrs. Rosa Dowdy and family of Baltimore, Md. spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Jennings. While here they visited their grandfather in a local nursing home, in Roanoke, Va. The Rev. and Mrs. Hankins and family were the dinner guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Franklin last Sunday.

Mr. Edward Tibbs is very sick in the Lynchburg General Marshall Lodge hospital.

The Long Mountain Lodge No 204 will hold its regular meeting this Saturday evening at 7:30 in the Lodge hall. All members are asked to attend. Each brother is reminded that because of the weather conditions the December meeting was postponed.

Mrs. Dorothy Pannell is receiving special treatment in the Lynchburg General Marshall Lodge hospital.

Alice Franklin

FHA Girl Of Month

Alice Franklin was choosen outstanding member of the Future Homemakers of America for the month of December. She participated in all FHA activities including entering a cake in the Five County Fair and entering a dress in the dress revue at the Five County Fair. Alice has participated in two fashion shows at school. She attended the State Convention held at Hotel Roanoke, Roanoke, Va. She has participated in the programs for the monthly meetings.

Alice is presently serving as Secretary of the Senior FHA Chapter. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Franklin of Appomattox.

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PAMPLIN ELEMENTARY CAFETERIA MENU

Tues., Jan. 27 - Tomato soup w/cracker,s peanut butter sandwich, diced pears, cookie, milk.

Wed., Jan. 28 - Beefaroni, slaw, green peas, rolls, butter, milk.

Thurs., Jan. 29 - Hot dogs, french fries, buttered corn, buns, butter, milk.

Fri., Jan. 30 - Sausage, fried apples, sliced tomatoes, potato chips, biscuits, butter, milk.

APPOMATTOX MIDDLE SCHOOL CAFETERIA MENU

Tues., Jan. 27 - Surf cake, macaroni & cheese, green peas, peaches, school made bread, milk.

Wed., Jan. 28 - Hamburger steak W/gravy, whipped potatoes, butterbeans, school made bread, cookie, milk.

Thurs., Jan. 29 - corn dog, cole slaw, corn, frosted cake, milk.

Fri., Jan. 30 - Chili beans, tossed salad, applesauce with cookie, school made bread, milk.

PRIMARY SCHOOL CAFETERIA MENU

Mon., Jan. 26 - NO SCHOOL

Tues., Jan. 27 - Tuna Sandwich, buttered corn, slaw, cinnamon crisp, milk.

Wed., Jan. 28 - Grilled Bologna, creamed potatoes & gravy, string beans, jello with topping, milk, roll, butter.

Thurs., Jan. 29 - Hamburger on bun, steamed cabbage, potato puffs, milk, orange slices.

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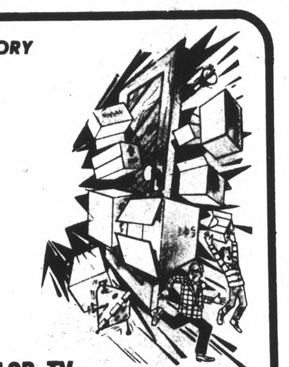

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